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INFO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

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AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

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SUBJ: USE OF PRESIDENT'S SPEECH WITH OPEC COUNTRIES

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1. WE NOTE THAT THE REFTTEL GIVES INSTRUCTIONS (AND APPARENTLY KITS OF EXPLANATIONS IN POUCHES) TO THE POSTS IN OECD MEMBER STATES WITH REGARD TO EXPLAINING OUR ENERGY POSITION (AS BASED ON THE PRESIDENT'S FORTHCOMING ENERGY SPEECH) BUT SAYS NOTHING ABOUT WHAT WE SHOULD TELL THE OPEC COUNTRIES.

2. IF WE ARE TO EVER HAVE A WORKABLE, PRACTICAL, REALISTIC ENERGY POLICY, WE MUST TELEGRAPHY OUR INTENTIONS TO THOSE WHO EXPORT OIL AND GIVE EXPLANATIONS TO THE ENERGY CAPITALS WHICH IS AT LEAST AS IMPORTANT AS MAKING EXPLANATIONS TO THOSE WITH WHOM WE MUST SHARE THE NEW ADJUSTMENTS IN LIFE STYLES. WE WOULD PREFER TO GIVE DIRECTLY TO THE OPEC CAPITALS--AT LEAST THIS ONE--OUR OWN EXPLANATIONS OF OUR ENERGY POLICY RATHER THAN HAVE THE FRENCH, BRITISH, OR JAPANESE GIVE THEM THEIR FILTEREONES.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: COULD WE HAVE NEW INSTRUCTIONS ON WHAT TO TELL THE SAUDIS. THEY WILL NEED TO BE ABLE TO TELL THEIR OPEC COLLEAGUES THAT THE HAD BEEN INFORMED IN ADVANCE BY THE USG EVEN IF THEY HAD NOT BEEN CONSULTED REGARDING ENERGY POLICY.

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